RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

CATTLE MARKETS.

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RICHMOND LIVIS STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yarga.)

Richmond, Var, July 2, 1904.

Receipts for the week cading Monday:
(DATTLE-Receipts, 275 head. Market fair
on all grades. Best steers, 64,655;c.; medium
to sood, 44,656;; common to fair, 34,656;; common to fair, 34,656;; good heifers, 44,656;; common to fair, 25,626; bulls, 34,636;c.; calvas, 566;; fresh cows, 32,638; quarantine cattle,
3416.

nounds, pounds, detrease to, pounds, us were lighter than was expected There was more dappled tobacco in the offerings. Prices were well adde with some advance in dapple, a shout all planted and the plants, well and growing nicely, titions are as follows:

Richmond, Va., July 2, 1904. QUOTATIONE

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Deposits July 10th, 1902, \$87,442,74. Deposits September 18th, 1902, \$89,851,78. Deposits February 6th, 1903, \$92,573.96.

Deposits June 9th, 1903, \$103,378.46.

Deposits Sept. 9th, 1903, \$120,702.32.

Deposits Jan. 22, 1904, \$123, 273.49

Deposits Mar. 28, 1904, \$134,110.75
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# HOLIDAY ON THE MARKET W

No Disposition for New Com mitments Until Routine Is Resumed.

WEEK OF THE REVIEW

Monetary Situation Favorable to Stocks-Demands I rom the South.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEW YORK, July 2.—Henry Clews and Company say in their weekly financial

eview: . Holiday inertia overhangs the stock With three days' cessation of business in prospect there was a natural indisposition to take up new commitments until the regular routine is resumed. Important events, it must be remembered. are likely to occur shortly at the seat of war in the East, which would exercise are likely to occur shortly at the seat of war in the East, which would exercise a far-reaching effect on the European bourses. Again, only three years ago business was resumed after the helidays to find the corn crop blasted by heat and drouth. This is not likely to happen again at the same date, but such remembrances induce caution. In a few days also the St. Louis convention will take place and the opposition candidate will be chosen. This event is not likely to go off so smoothly as its predecessor at Chicago, and the probability of more or less exciting discussion acts as a check upon stock market activity. Still another element, and the most important element of all, is the crop situation, So far crop prospects are quite satisfactory, the promise being above the average. This development is, of course, imparting a much more hopeful feeling in business circles, which has already been reflected in the stock market. In fact, it is a question whether or not this advantage has not heen sufficiently discounted for the present. Unfavorable developments, from which escape cannot yet be assured, are quite possible, and it is unlikely that the season will go on without some settacks, the chief advantage being now that wheat, corn, cotton and other crops have reached a state of maturity where they are better able to whitstand injury. Crop prospects age certainly encouraging, yet there is danger in being too optimistic.

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Favorable to Stocks.

The monetary situation is conspicuously averable to stocks, since the latter yield much better returns than money and are velatively in smaller supply. Bank reserves are now at the lathest point in many years, and the crop demands, which will soon begin, are likely to drain this center less than usual, because interior centers are also well supplied with funds. The largest demands are likely to come from the South, where funds are less abundant than at the West, but oction is much cheaper than a year ago, and in consequence the movement to market may be slower than last year's, suggesting a less active and somewhat backward flow of currency with the South, compared with last year. Corn, the most important of all crops, appears to be doing fairly well and recovering early backwardness. In the business world a more hopeful feeling prevails; clearing house returns show smaller decreases, and the declines in railroad earnings are less marked than a few weeks ago. The single exception, perhaps, is the iron trade, which has not yet recovered from the reaction of 163. Prices of raw Iron and steel declined considerably, but finished products have not fallen correspondingly, and buyers naturally hold off for lower figures. A good many iron and steel products are subject to poel control, and it is the hold-up policy of the latter that is largely responsible for duliness in the iron trade, although demand, especially for building and railroad material, has greatly shrunken.

Confident Undertone.

Among financial leaders a confident undertone prevails. The first sign of real improvement is a good demand for securities from investors. This is still in evidence in regarding the election the crops and the war are cleared up the slock market is likely to exhibit increasing activity and strength. Generally speaking, the summer is a period of quiet, awhig to the absence of many operators on vacations, etc., but the asble and

NEW YORK, July 1.—MONEY AND EX-CHANGE-CLOSE; Money on call, naminal; no loans; loans, naminal; sky and niney no loans; loans, naminal; sky and niney n. Icans, interference of the control of the control of cars, 2124 per cent, six months, 34,234 per cent, 3124 per cent, 3124

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The statement of averages of the clearing-house banks of this city for the week shows:

Leans, 31,076,031,599; Increase, 52,123,000; Deposits, 11,152,958,500; increase, 439,570.

Circulation, 323,29,800; increase, 439,570.

Legal-tenders, 834,999,700; increase, 339,697,500, Specie, 323,371,800; decrease, 571,500.

Reserve required, 8238,317,200; increase, 32,318, 578. 678.
Surnius \$36,103,300; decrease, \$2,347,375.
Ex-United States deposits, \$11,914,550; increase, \$2,379,875.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

PAI/TIMORE, MD., July 2.—BUTTER—stendy and unchanged; fancy imitation, 1.9 18c.; do. creamory, 196,20c.; do. in India, 14715c. Suga-Biendy and unchanged at 18c. Cheese-Frim and unchanged at 18c. Cheese-Frim and unchanged large, 83,49c.; includin, 19634c.; small, 93,49 19c. Sugar—Pirm and unchanged.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

(Corrected Every Friday.)

FLOUR-Unchanged; very dull. WHEAT—
Receipts and offerings very light; new wheat
nominally quotable at 55900. OATS-Continue
very dull and at quotations. CORN-Market
continues very dull; stocks large and receipts libers. RYE-in fairly good demand.
HAY-With very large receipts hast week, and
1800 tons this week, our stocks are excess e
and with light demand our quotations as
minial, and sales when made are at high
offer; it is difficult to draw
limited storage for hey one born filled.

AGGS-Receipts and the liberal, market
quiet.

BUTTER-Receipts in excess of demand, only
fancy stocy wanted; other grades very dull, Dry Bilt, per ib. 12 9
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No. Shares Wanted	TOBACCO MARKET. Richmond, Va., July 2, 1904.
	Richmond, Va., July 2, 1994.  Dark-Fired Tobacco-Reordered: Receipts con-
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	Note-Planters are cautioned not to ship
and when sold are in buyers favor. POULTRY-Receipts not so heavy as last	their tobacco to market in high order, as with warm weather it is apt to damage and then
week: market active at quotations.	it will not bring full quotations.
VIRGINIA BACON-Unchanged and quiet.	The quotations are as follows:
POTATOES-Receipts continue heavy and market over stocked and very dull.	
RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK-Wheat, 32,763	Short leaf
bushels; corn, 44,134 bushels; oats, 27,080 bush-	
els; flour, 2,440 barrels; hay, 1,66 tons; mill pfial, 225 tons.	Vrappers and selection 10.00 0 14.00
STOCK IN ELEVATOR-Corn, 20,000 bush-	
els; oats, \$1,582 bushe POULTITY-LIVE,	Madtum 8,00 0 10.00
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Gress 25 @ 50	Fine
	Medium
Fancy dairy packed	Good 27.00 @ \$5.00
Choice dairy packed	Fine
Medium 10 6 11	Fancy SUN-CURED TOBACCO.
Common EGGS.	Primings 2.00 0 4.00 Lugs, common to good 5.00 0 7.00
Crates, nearby, fresh laid 17	
Crates, other sections 17	Short leaf 10.00 @ 12.00
Barrels and boxes 16	Long leaf
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.	
APPLES.	Lynchburg Tobacco Market.
Summer, per bbl., fancy 2.50 @ 3.60	Lynchburg, Va., July 2, 1904.
ORANGEL-	Sales of loose tobacco on the Lynchburg mar-

3	Common EGGS.	10	9		Priming
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	Guinea FRUITS AND VEGETA	BLES			Wrapper
	APPLES. Summer, per bbl., fancy	2.80	0	3.90	Lyr
1	Cal., seedings, per box	2.75	9	8.00	Sales
j	PINEAPPLES-Per box	1,50	50	8.00	ket for ed by J Sold v
	WHORTLEBERRIES-Per cr BLACKBERRIES-Per cr WATERMELONS-Fancy, 100	15.00	0	2.50	sold we
	GANTELOUPES-Per crate	1.72	30	1.15	pounds.
1	Prime to fancy	1.65	0	1.75	20,129,400 June 25
3	Clay PEAS-Bushel	1.65	20	1,60 1,75 1,70	1904, 1.38 The re
1	MIXED PEAS	1.60	•	1.10	than us
	Common to good	1.40	0	1.55 1.50 1.50	The er
	POTATOES	1.25	0		Dark lu
	No. 7, per bul	1.50	8	1.75	Dark lu
	PEACHES- G-basket carrier, free stone G-basket carrier cling stone	1,25	0	1.25	Dark les
	PEARS-Per bbl	3.00	88	335	Dark le
	ONIONS-Per flour bbl	2.25	4	2,50	

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SEEDS—Wholesale, per bus. 5.75 @ 2.25
Clover, wholesale, per bus. 1.41 @ 1.60
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NAVAL STORES. WILMINGTON, N. C., July 2.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Bleady at 524c.; receipts, 49 casics. Rosin—Nothing doing; receipts, 75 har-rells Tar-Firm at 51.00; receipts, 10 barrels. Clude Turpentine—Firm at 42,554.00 and 44.25; teceipts, 22 harrels. Clude Turpentine—sirm at 1.509.10 and 4.52; iccelpts, 224 barrels.

SAVANNAH, GA., July 2.—TURPENTINE—Firm at 62%c; receipts, 1.045 casks; sales, 570 casks; exports, 993 casks, Rosin—Quiet; receipts, 1.095 barrels; sales, 1,406 barrels; exports, 1,728 barrels.

TINE—Firm at 534c. Rosin—Firm.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, JULY 2, 1904.

Steamer Brandon, Rhodes, Norfolk, merchan-disc and passengers, Jul Dominion line. Steamer Old Point Comfort, Graves, Norfolk, James Huver landings, merchandisc and pus-sengers, Virgina Navisation Co. Bleamer Maud, Cliffort, Norfolk, wood, A.

Blacker.

Steamer Brandon, Rhodes, Norfolk, merchandlse and passengers, Old Bominion line.
Schooner A. J. Venable, S.gnalgo, James River, light, Schooner William Young, Bussell, Norfolk, passengers.

PORT OF WEST POINT, JULY 2, 1904.

Charlotte Murphy, Baltimore, passengers and general carge.

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Charters Granted. The Corporation Commission yesterday granted a charter to the Elk Island Farming Company, Elk Island, Goochland county; capital, \$5.00 to \$10.0.0; Susan B. Norvell, president; Frank P. Norvell, vice-president and secretary; M. L. Norvell, treasurer and general manager.

Granted Absolute D'vorce. A decree of absolute divorce has been granted to Mrs. Zuleima Armstrong from her husband, H. D. Armstrong, by the Law and Equity Court of this city. The grounds for divorce set out in her peti-tion were statutory.

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11038—P iceipts, \$15 head. Market good.

Cood hogs, 5654c; roughs, 4624c.

BHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 207 head.

Market strong. Fat sheep, 3524c.; common to fair, 25625c; bucks, 253c.; lambs, 5654c. The Waynesboro Gun Club Offers Attractive Prizes.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 2,—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head. Market nominal. Good for prime steers, 15, 4025,00 poor to medium. 1, 100 for 12 for 12 for 12 for 12 for 12 for 13 for (Special to The Three-Lispatch.)
WAYNESBORC, MA., July 2.—The third annual shoot of the Waynesboro Gun Club, to be held bere on the 4th of July, promises to be one of the liggest events of the kind in the State. Probably more than one hundred will participate and in number of the trade representatives and expert shots will be present. Over three hundred collars in cash and merchandise prizes are to be competed for, in addition to one special handicap avent of 25 targets for a \$50 double-barrel hammerless Ithaca shot-gun, numerous special gold prizes, &c. The regular events are eight in number and a prize is offered the winner of each.

The club has two sets of traps with the shooters pits so arranged as to be protected from both sun and rain. The grounds are conceded to be unsurpassed by those of any in the State, being on a considerable elevatoin, and having an all-sky background. They also have the advantage of being only a few hundred 14.107.00. mixed, 13.7594.00: active lambs, 507.00. See YORK, July 2.—BEEVES—Receipts, mone; no irading. Dressed best, 74,610c. per geund. Calves—Receipts, none; nothing doline; fair demand at 620c. per pound. Sheep call Lambs—Receipts, 254 head. Riesp—Steady ther grades, slaw; lambs, firm 10 pounds, lambs, 1565.00; cuits at \$2.00. Dressed minton, steady at 6953c. per pound. Hogs—Receipts, 1,004 head; none for the market; feeling nominally steady.

# RAILWAY

Plan to Reorganize Lines and Extend the Service at Raleigh.

THE SEASON'S COTTON SALES

The Junior Order to Open National Headquarters at Raleigh.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RALEIGH, N. C., July 2.—It is said
that plans for the reorganization and extension of the Raleigh street railway system are about to be perfected, and definite steps in this direction will be inken at a meeting of the directors soon to be held. A belt line around by Oakwood Cemetery and an extension six miles into the country to the Nouse River are among the improvements contem-

are among the improvements contemplated.

National headquarters for the Junior Order United American Mechanics will be opened at once in the Commercial and Farmers National Bank building in this city. National Councilor W. E. Falson and Editor Z. P. Smith, of the national organ, The American, will have their offices there. The American is to be printed by contract here.

COTTON SALES.

The sales of cotton on the Raieign market to date this season have been even 15,000 bales, as compared with 14,319 during the corresponding period last season. Sales during the past month were 104 bales, against 60 bales during June of last year

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At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night Chief Walter Woollcott.

of the Raleigh fire department, tendered his resignation, giving as his reason that the work required is far in excess of the \$100 salary allowed. Mr. Woollcott is an extensive merchant. It is probable that



WAYNESBORO GUN CLUB.

feet from the C. & O. depot and three blocks from the conter of the town. There will be representatives from Washington, Baltimore, Newport News, Norfolk, Richmond, Lynchburg, Roanoke, Clifton Forge, Covington, Harrisonburg, Staumton, Elkton, Hagerstown, Charlotteswille and other points, among whom are many "crack" shots. The club has the enthusiasm natural to youth, being only in its third summer, and will give a hearty welcome to all shogiers. The large number of spectators which this event always atracts will be comfortably seated in the grand stand, and lunch will be furnished on the grounds.

#### WOULD NOT ACCEPT THE SILVER PLATTER

Dark lugs, medium 3.75 0 400
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Dark lugs, good 5.00
Dark lugs, good 5.00
Dark leaf, good 5.00

curring."

"But, suppose," remarked the other triend, "that the convention nominated you, then nominated a Vice-President, adopted a platform and adjourned. Then suppose the nomination was handed you on a silver platter. What would you do?"

"I would not accept the silver platter," replied the ex-President, with a smile.

C. & O. JULY-4TH-JULY \$1.00-EXCURSIONS-\$1.00 ROUND-\$1.00-TRIP. OCEAN VIEW AND NORFOLK. \$1,25 ROUND TRIP TO VA. BEACH. TRAINS-3-TRAINS.

TRAINS—3—TRAINS.

Bleven and a half hours at Old Point, ten hours Buckroe, eleven hours Ocean View, nine hours Norfolk, six and a half hours Virginia Beach. Three trains: plenty cars: no stops. Leave Richmond 8, 8:30-and 9 A. M.

8 and 8:30 A. M. trains do not stop at Nowport News. Tickets also sold for Sunday outing trains July 3d, good returning July 4th, at \$2 round trip.

THE MOST ATTRACTIVE ROUTE TO
THE WORLD'S FAIR, ST. LOUIS, IS
VIA THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY
THROUGH THE "LAND OF THE
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ST. LOUIS WITHOUT A
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CHANGE OF TRAINS.

The Southern Railway has on sale at Richmond, and all stations on its lines, very low rate excursion tickets to St. Louis, Moi, account the World's Fair. These lickets embrace stop over privileges between Salishury and Morristown, which includes the famous mountain section of Western North Carolina, Asheville, Hot Springs and "The Land of the Sky." Elegant day coaches, through Pullmans, and dining car service of the highest standard of excellence.

SEABOARD AIR LINE SUNDAY EXCURSIONS TO PETERSBURG. 40 Cents for Round Trip. Tickets good on all regular Sunday

trains, beginning May 15, 1904,

the salary will be increased. The resignation does not take affect until after the State firemen's tournament.

Since the closing of the tax listing in Raicigh it is noticed that E. A. Johnsyn, a negro lawyer and former United States district atterney, has listed more separate pieces of real estate than any other properly holder in the city.

A charter was issued to-day for the Huntley, Stockton, Hill Company, of Greensboro, with \$50,000 capital, to do a general furniture business; a branch store in connection with the concern of the same name in Winston-Salem, W. P. Hill, B. F. Huntley and N. D. Stockton are the incorporators.

Another charter was to the Bargain House Company, of Charlotte, This concern has a capital of \$50,000, and a general mercantile business is to be conducted. The incorporators are G. L. Leak, J. H. Harrill and E. H. Walters.

#### WITH THE RELIGIOUS CONTEMPORARIES

God's Rain Upon the Church. God's Rain Upon the Church.

If the church is the garden of the Lord, and in if are all manner of plants and trees, how it must long and wait and pray for the clouds, and the sugur of the rain from above. In all its worshin it lifts up its face, and stretches out its hands, and prays for the coming of the more blessed rain of the Spirit of all grace. For this our Lord waits, that he may be inquired of! Unto this the blessing comes, large and full and rich. Let us pray for God's rain upon all the church, upon all its mis lons and all its service unto men of every kind.—Central Presbyterian.

While There Is Time.

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"Distance lends enchantment,"—and makes some things clearer than they are at close range. The husband who is a thousand miles from home and dear enes does not love the wife and children any more than when he is with thom, but he gets a better view of what he could do for them than when he is hurrying from the breakfast table to his coffice. "There is no time," day by day, to do much for those dear ones. But if the wife should be taken to where time is not, he would see some things then that he might have found time for. The busy, careworn mother, who has not time from her home duties to do much for the tired toller who comes back at night from office or shop, might see differently through bilinding tears to-morrow. Why wait until then?—Sunday School Times.

In His Arms.

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We sleep in peace in the arms of God when we yield ourselves up to His providence, in a delightful consciousness of His tender meretes; no more restiess uncertainties, no more anxious desires, no more impatience at the place we are in; for it is God who puts us there and who holds us in His arms. Can we be unsafe where He has placed us and where He watches over us as a parent watches a child? This conditing repose, in which earthly care sleeps, is the true vigilance of the heart; yielding itself un to God, with no other support than Him, it thus watches while we sleep. This is the love in Him that will not sleep even in death.—Southern Churchman.

Time and Patience.

Any community which will be patient enough to persist for a generation in an uncompromising fight for the destruction of the saloon—and this is a very short time in matters of moral reform—will find that the absence of these open feeders of inteperance has emabled a new generation to arise with habits of sobriety, while the generation of drinkers who would have their glass have forfunately passed into their unfortunate graves. We need, therefore, the spirit of patience in this great reform. It causet be accomplished in a

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